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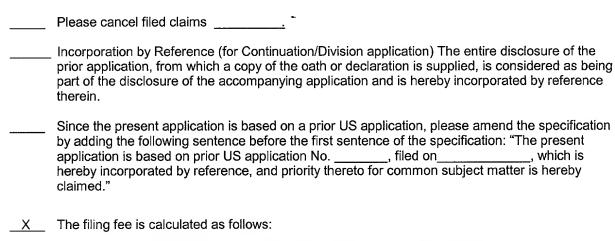
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Atty./Agent Docket No.: SST99002 Mailing Date: 1/26/2001 Express Mail Label No.: EF263308765US **Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box Patent Application** Washington, D.C. 20231 Dear Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR 1.53 (b) is a Non-provisional Utility Patent Application: X New Application; or _____Continuation; or _____Divisional, or _____Continuation-in-Part (CIP) Application of prior US application No._____, filed on _____, having US Examiner _____, in Group Art Unit _____: of CHATTERJEE et al. Inventor(s): AN EVENT DRIVEN MODULAR CONTROLLER METHOD AND For (Title): **APPARATUS** This transmittal letter has 2___ total pages. Enclosed are: X 4 sheets of drawings, along with 12 pages of specification, claims, and abstract. X Oath or Declaration Combined with Power of Attorney (unsigned) (_ 3 _ pages) Newly Executed (original or copy) Copy from a prior application (if this is a Continuation/Division with no new matter) Statement deleting named inventor(s) in prior application if this is a Continuation/Division (See 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).) Consider as the above Statement, Please delete as inventors for this application the following inventors named in the prior application: Foreign priority to ______ Patent application is hereby claimed under 35 USC 119. Patent application having serial number _____, and a An Assignment Transmittal Letter and Assignment of the invention to MOTOROLA, INC. An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS), with _____ PTO-1449, and ____ citation copies. Petition For Extension of Time for parent application of the present Continuation/Division/CIP application X Print EFS Inventor Information Sheet(s).



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